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RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION  
MAILED MAY 8, 2002

Sir:

Responsive to the office Action mailed May 8, 2002, the Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider the above-identified patent application in view of the following Amendments and Remarks.

Amendments

In the claims:

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1. (Three times amended) A dosage form useful in ophthalmic treatment having a predetermined liquid volume of from about 3 to 20  $\mu$ l, the dosage form being a jet or stream of droplets of treatment fluid, each droplet having an ophthalmologically active compound in suspension or solution and wherein the jet or each droplet of a size sufficient to sustain